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DEMOCRATS HAPPY.

They Control the New York Senate.

CLOSE OF THE BARNABY CASE.

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Ghastly Find in a Trunk on a Beach.

Democrats Happy.

ALBANY (N. Y.), Dec. 29.—A decision was handed down this afternoon by the Court of Appeals in the contest of the election cases which appears to give the Democrats control of the Senate.

In the Onondago Senatorial and Assembly districts the Democratic candidates get certificates. In the Steuben Senatorial district the court holds that Sherwood is ineligible; but Wm. A. Sutherland, the Republican attorney, however, says the court's opinion says that the Board of Canvassers cannot give a certificate to Walker, the Democratic candidate. In Rensselaer, Washington Senatorial district, Derby, the Republican candidate, will get a certificate. In Dutchess county district, Judge Cady, counsel for Deane, says the court's decision says while "Myrd" certificates could be canvassed so far as regards its form, yet the allegations as to its truthfulness and regularity on behalf of the Republicans has not been met by the Democrats, and therefore the State Board of Canvassers should await another return from Dutchess county.

The contested cases' decisions caused great consternation among the Republicans, but they have not yet given up the fight, and the leaders are now in consultation as to what is best to be done.

The Democrats are jubilant, and a prominent one says: "Hereafter the Republican party of this State will be a dream of the past, so far as political standing goes."

The Democrats have now complete control of the State government, and an enumeration bill will be rushed through at once, followed by a reapportionment and redistricting bill.

The Democratic counsel claim that under the court's decision, the State Board of Canvassers can give a certificate to Walker, the Democratic candidate for Senator in Steuben district. In Dutchess district they agree with the Republicans that the State Board of Canvassers must await a modified certificate from Dutchess county before canvassing the vote in that district.

The State Board of Canvassers have not yet met, but the members are in consultation, having the court's decisions and opinions before them, and the excitement is intense about the office of the Secretary of State. The Republicans' lawyers are all present, as well as politicians of both high and low degree.

New German Minister.

BERLIN, Dec. 29.—The North German Gazette says it is learned from a reliable source that Dr. Von Holleben, at present German Minister to Japan, will be transferred to Washington, where he will represent Germany in place of Count Arco Valley, who died some time ago. Baron Von Gutschmid, who is now German Minister to Chili, will be transferred to Tokio, to take the place made vacant by the transfer of Dr. Von Holleben. Dr. Von Winkler, now holding the position of Secretary of the German Legation at Constantinople will, according to information furnished the Gazette, be appointed Minister to Mexico.

A Ghastly Find.

ROCKAWAY BEACH, (L. I.), Dec. 29.—An old leather trunk, around which was a stout rope, was found imbedded in the sand at low water mark opposite the Ocean House yesterday by Charles Young, Jr. Young opened the trunk and was horrified to find the body of a colored infant apparently three weeks old. The trunk was evidently washed up by the tide.

Outstanding on Labor.

LONDON, Dec. 29.—Gladstone, replying to a correspondent inquiring as to the position of the labor question in Parliament if the Irish members withdrew, says: "I fear that British labor will be unable to fight its own battle without Irish members entirely withdrawn, nor do I know that Irish members will withdraw under home rule."

The Barnaby Case.

DENVER, Dec. 29.—In the Graves trial to-day, immediately after Judge Rising's charge to the jury, Mr. Pence began his closing argument for the prosecution. In the course of his remarks he said: "You are determining the important question of life or death. The law asks you to take what law cannot give; again the law requires you to be satisfied, without reasonable doubt, before you find him guilty. If Dr. Graves did not prepare the fatal draught that sent his benefactor to her death, and you do not believe he did from evidence, then let him go. It is not because counsel can create facts, or because the attorneys have any right to insist upon any unfair conclusion, it is because the solemn duty rests on us as well as on you; it is because law requires us to seek the truth, and it is because of this that counsel may be able to refresh your recollection so as to guide you towards the truth; with that notion of the duty of counsel I come before you."

"Is there any doubt but that Josephine Barnaby died the victim of poison? I think now I have no fear in saying that Mrs. Barnaby did so die. Was it at the hand of Graves, who had no allies to assist, but unaided or aided, was he the man? That theory you are to solve, and there is no excuse for any juror in the world to hesitate a moment in bringing in a verdict that he poisoned this woman. His relations with her began a year before her husband's death. She was his patient. If it is evident to you, as it is to me and to her children, that her husband, who has spent a long life with his wife, better understand her needs and the proper limitations to be placed on her after his death, than a tramp interloper, who comes in after his death. Everybody knows that Mr. Barnaby better knew what was good for her when he made his will than did those interlopers. But little did he know when he dictated the will that in the city of Providence there was an adventurer of a lawyer and a tramp of a doctor, who would rob the woman while he was in his grave."

Will They Fight?

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—Representatives, backers and a crowd of admirers of Slavin and Sullivan met at the Herald office this noon to arrange a fight between the two men. Both sides seemed willing to put up their money, but they could not agree. Sullivan declared emphatically that he would not fight Slavin in case he lost his fight with Jackson next May. The Slavin contingent wanted to make a match whether their man won or lost with Jackson, but the Sullivan men would not agree to that proposition. The matter was finally settled by Slavin ceding his backers at Monte Carlo for instructions. The men will meet again at the Herald office next Monday, by which time Slavin will have received the instructions he asked for.

An Indian Muster.

MONTREAL, Dec. 29.—During the first week in June next an extraordinary gathering of Canadian Indians will take place at Kamloops, in British Columbia. There will be present about 7,000 Christian Indians from various parts of British Columbia and probably a number of pagan Indians. Rev. Father Lacombe organized the unique gathering and during the week "Passion Play" will be presented by the Christian Indians. This performance is not, of course, the prime reason for the gathering. There is understood to be a desire to meet one another and compare notes, and consider educational matters and the progress in arts and civilization.

Liquor at the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, Dec. 29.—The local papers say liquor is to be sold at the World's Fair. It was not known definitely until yesterday that the directors had agreed on a liquor program. President Baker said: "It was definitely decided months ago that liquor should be sold at the exposition. It will only be on sale in restaurants." It is stated by Director Butler, acting chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, that no final action was taken by his committee, but it was understood by all the members of the committee that liquor would be sold on the grounds. The National Commission is yet to be consulted in the matter.

Railroad Telegraphers.

EL PASO (Tex.), Dec. 29.—Information was received here that the chiefs of the Order of Railway Telegraphers will hold another conference to-day with the officers of the Southern Pacific road. In the event of the officers of that road not granting the telegraphers' demands, support is confidently expected from the trainmen along the line, as they have been meeting with the telegraphers.

Summoned to Washington.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 29.—Superintendent Abbott of Carnegie, Phipps & Co., was summoned by telegraph to Washington by the Secretary of the Navy in relation to the armor and deck plates which the firm is supplying for war ships now building. The telegram ordered him to leave on the first train, and he took his departure this morning. Rumors are growing feverish rapidly with which the Government is pushing the work on war vessels in the light of the strained relations with Chili, which have received new confirmations locally. In relation to the above a member of the firm of Carnegie, Phipps & Co., was interviewed this morning and said:

"There is nothing unusual in relation to our contracts, nor is there any extraordinary rush. It is the custom to receive many dispatches and also for some member of the firm to be called to Washington on the same business. We have been shipping as fast as completed the protected deck plates for the New York. The plate for the Monterey is as yet in an unfinished condition; that is, it has not been tested and we have received no orders to ship it without the usual tests."

Ocean Steamer Sunk.

NORFOLK (Va.), Dec. 29.—Captain Hopkins of the British steamer "Ocean Queen" which arrived here after being in a storm in which she lost four men, reports he saw a large ocean steamer which, from all appearances, was a passenger, bound from Liverpool to New York, flying signals of distress. Owing to the dense fog he was unable to go to her assistance. When the fog lifted nothing could be seen of the steamer and the British captain is positive she is wrecked.

Parliament Protracted.

MELBOURNE, Dec. 29.—The Governor of Victoria prorogued the Colonial Parliament to-day. His Excellency, in closing the session, said he regretted the difficulty which had arisen in dealing with the commonwealth bill, but he believed the federation of the Australian colonies was only delayed, not defeated. He added that the financial prosperity of the colony was promising and good reports were received concerning the harvest.

Blown Up with Dynamite.

ALTOONA (Pa.), Dec. 29.—The Clearfield Hotel livery stable was blown up with dynamite early this morning. The debris took fire and spread to the adjoining property, destroying five other buildings and consuming eight houses. The greatest excitement prevailed, as it was feared by the people that an organized attempt to destroy the city was being made.

A Young Morphine Fiend.

PLAINFIELD (Ind.), Dec. 29.—The Keeley Institute at this place has something of a curiosity in the shape of a patient five years old who is a confirmed morphine eater. The child was fed morphine from infancy to make it sleep, and serious consequences were easily seen.

Chinaman Fined.

OTTAWA, Dec. 29.—The Minister of Customs inflicted a fine of \$50 upon a Chinaman at Victoria, B. C., for endeavoring to defraud the department by personating another individual, with the view of obtaining a permit to return to Canada.

Extensive Bush Fires.

SYDNEY (N. S. W.), Dec. 29.—An extensive bush fire swept over the districts of Albany, Wagga, Temora and Mundree, causing immense damage crops. A large number of live stock were burned to death.

Chief Fraser Resigns.

Editor Gazette.—Sometime since I handed to the County Commissioners my resignation, which for some reason was not acted upon. Desiring to have the responsibility taken off my shoulders I have concluded to resign in this manner. During the time I have held the position I have at all times endeavored to do my duty to the best of my ability, and if I have not with the approval of the public, whom I have tried to serve, I am pleased, if not, I will have the satisfaction of knowing that I did my best with the apparatus and facilities at hand for the extinguishing of fires. In conclusion I will suggest, as a volunteer department in Reno seems to be a failure that some kind of a paid department be at once organized. The cost to the tax payers would be but a trifle more, comparatively speaking, and if properly organized a few men under supervision would do more efficient work than it is possible for the town to do with the present organization. While the boys are willing and do all they can, still the department lacks organization. My predecessor in office, who is a competent fireman and who has worked with the fire department for years, and who is always on hand to help save property, resigned for the same reason that prompts me at this time to arrive at the same conclusion. Yours truly, JACK FRASER.

TENNESSEE TRAGEDY

Causes the Death of Three Men.

A DAUGHTER'S SERIOUS CHARGE.

No Change Reported in Chilean Affairs.

Movements of the United States Cruisers.

A Tennessee Tragedy.

NASHVILLE (Tenn.), Dec. 29.—Marion and Dave Beatty and Gwin Bowden of Feltress county, on the Upper Tennessee, lie dead in their houses, and Edward Harris, their murderer, is a fugitive from justice, with a reward offered for his apprehension.

Three months ago Mary Beatty, sister of the two dead men and a belle of upper Tennessee county, retired from society, and it became noised about that the young woman had become a mother. The story was substantiated some time ago by the sudden arrest of Chalmers Beatty, a banker and rich man, at the instigation of the girl, his daughter, who charged him with being the father of her child. This stirred up a hornet's nest, and so fearful were the jailer and sheriff of a mob that they removed him from jail and into another county for safe keeping. Neighbors and friends began to take sides, some with the wronged girl, others with the father. Finally Beatty gave a heavy bond and left the country.

Mary Beatty went to live with some distant relatives, Hiram Harris' family, who lived at Allard, not far from Jamestown. The Harris family, accompanied by Mary Beatty, came to town Monday to do some trading and to appear before the Grand Jury to testify against her father. The Beattys were there with their friends and relatives. The Court adjourned at 4 o'clock, and after making some purchases, Harris and family and Mary Beatty started home.

When the Harris family left the courthouse yard, Gwin Bowden and the Beatty brothers mounted their horses and followed them. One mile from Jamestown Marion Beatty rode up to the side of the wagon, and made the demand that the girl go home with him, emphasizing the command with a cut on the face with his whip. The girl replied she would rather die than live with him again. Beatty again attacked his sister, when Harris pulled a revolver and shot all three men and then escaped.

The Beattys always enjoyed the respect of the people of the county, and six years ago Chalmers Beatty was State Representative. He is extensively engaged in the general merchandise and lumber business. Many people believe the girl's story concerning her father. She is an educated and strikingly handsome woman about twenty years old, and enjoyed the esteem of every one in the vicinity. A report that Miss Beatty and young Harris were married some time ago in Scott county is current, but cannot be confirmed.

Movements of the Cruisers.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 29.—According to Admiral Brown, who is now here with the San Francisco, the Charleston has left Honolulu for Acapulco. Whether the Charleston will come north or go south from Acapulco, the Admiral declined to say.

In regard to the extra ammunition aboard the San Francisco, Captain Sampson says: "We have enough to fill up the Charleston and Baltimore and put them in campaign condition." It is believed here that the San Francisco has orders to remain at this port until the diplomatic relations with Chili take one turn or another, and that her disposition in the future depends upon the turn those diplomatic relations take. The Baltimore is expected here about Thursday.

Cattle Quarantined.

BANGOR (Me.), Dec. 29.—The Maine Cattle Commissioners have posted a quarantine against Massachusetts cattle because of tuberculosis, but the regulations shall not apply to western cattle coming through Massachusetts into Maine for the purpose of slaughter.

No Change in Chilean Matters.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 29.—There is no news obtainable at the State or Navy Departments to-day respecting Chilean matters. No movements of ships are reported and officials say there is no change in the situation.

American Minister Slighted.

NEW YORK, Dec. 29.—According to a Washington correspondent Minister Egan was not invited to the festivities of the inauguration of President Montt in Santiago. That is the inference drawn by State Department officials from a telegram received from Minister Egan late this afternoon in which he states that the inauguration passed off successfully and was followed by a banquet Saturday night. The banquet was attended by Chilean officials and Congressmen, and all foreign Ministers in Santiago with which the administration is maintaining pleasant and amicable relations. The officials at the State Department had no explanation to give of the Minister's course. He had been advised to use his own judgment and a belief prevails that the Minister felt that it was not consistent with self-respect and the dignity of his position, to say nothing of the absolute danger to his person there in appearing in the streets to attend the ceremonies, in view of the manner in which he has been treated since the revolution ended.

A Candy Factory in Trouble.

CHICO (Cal.), Dec. 29.—About twelve months ago F. Willette located here and started a candy factory and borrowed several sums of money from a barber named Bunes, the latter accepting a clear bill of sale of the store and contents as a guarantee of pay. Between Saturday and Monday Willette disappeared. The barber on hearing this took an attorney yesterday and went to the store, where they found a boy in charge. The latter was shown the bill of sale and asked to vacate, but refused, stating that he also had a bill of sale. On examination it was found that some of the stock and a large soda fountain were missing. On being threatened with arrest the boy produced the soda fountain. It is thought some one is at the back of the boy. Willette, it is said, left a number of creditors. The goods are being removed from the store by the constable and the case will come up before the court.

A Fatal Collision.

CHILLICOTHE (Mo.), Dec. 29.—By a mistake in train orders a disastrous collision occurred between two freight trains on the Hannibal & St. Joseph Railroad seven miles east of here early this morning, resulting in the death of four trainmen and the fatal wounding of two others. The dead are engineer Busbee, fireman Barry, fireman Price and brakeman Gilmore. Brakeman Bell and engineer Nannan will die. Eleven cars of cattle were wrecked. The wreck caught fire and the poor animals slowly roasted to death.

His Neck Saved.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 29.—The jury in the case of ex-Policeman Joseph Wallace, charged with the killing of saloon keeper Albert Rice on June 18, 1889, returned a verdict of murder in the second degree this morning, after being out all night. Judge Trout then sentenced Wallace to life imprisonment at San Quentin. This is Wallace's second trial. On the first trial he was sentenced to hang, but obtained a re-trial on a technicality.

Loyal to Great Britain.

NAMPUR (India), Dec. 29.—The Indian National Congress has opened here with 800 delegates present. An expression of most earnest love and loyalty to Great Britain was made at the opening. Marquis Landsdown, Viceroy of India, has been making a tour of the country. Every where he was received with the warmest expressions of loyalty and devotion to British interests.

Tin Plate Factory.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 29.—The N. & G. Taylor Company, which has been operating a small tin plate factory here, to-day completed arrangements for the erection in this city which, when completed, will be the largest establishment of its kind in the United States.

Ready for Launching.

NEWPORT, Dec. 29.—Official orders have been received at Torpedo Station to get the dispatch boat Cashier ready for immediate service. A full gang of engineers were put to work on it, so by the end of the week it may be ready for launching.

False Rumor.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 29.—The report that the cruiser Charleston anchored off Coronado late last night was unfounded. The cruiser has not arrived here, nor has she yet been sighted off this port.

California Hails.

ONOVILLE, Dec. 29.—There was a heavy rain last night, one and ten one-hundredths inches having fallen in twelve hours, making for the season 6.19 inches.

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If the friends of the Nevada Lottery scheme who were so disappointed at its defeat two years ago, would read the article in the January Forum they would, we believe, be converted.

"From this narrative it appears that the Lottery Company was organized by a charter given by the Reconstruction Legislature of the State, and the successive stages of its growth are all explained up to the time when it has now put a ticket of its own in the field with the hope of renewing its charter for another twenty five years. The total amount of money taken in by the Lottery per annum if all the tickets are sold is \$28,000,000, and the largest possible amount that can be drawn by the holders of the tickets is a little more than \$14,000,000; so that the Lottery puts into its own coffers about 47 per cent. of all the money it receives, and this sum in years when the sale of its tickets is good amounts to \$13,000,000 or more."

Judge Frank McGloin of the Louisiana Court of appeals, writes: "As it is we are surrounded by visible evidence of the demoralization already accomplished among our people. We have a horror and great dread for the progressive consequences which must flow from 25 years more of this hideous trade, this systematic debauching of a people according to the latest and most improved of business methods. Already our servant girls are becoming in considerable numbers practiced and habitual thieves, putting our market basket under daily toll for lottery money. The number of defalcations large and petty is multiplying. The number of lottery offices has multiplied, and the roll of their habitual consumers is growing steadily. Saddest of all, this roll numbers a multitude of women and of children, the latter including those of tender years."

In a lengthy interview published in the Washington Post last Monday Senator Warren expresses some clean and advanced views on the problem of irrigation for western arid lands. He is special advocate for legislation affecting this important subject, and a more capable champion does not exist. He has hopes that Congress will look favorably upon the petition of the West, and is sanguine that valuable legislation will be accomplished before the adjournment.

The talk about sending out an Arctic relief party to search for and assist Lieutenant Peary, who started from the United States only a short time ago, recalls the remark of a distinguished army officer: that every Arctic expedition of discovery should be immediately followed by an expedition of relief, or rather that two should set sail together.

It takes a long-headed man to predict accurately what will attract the public as amusements. Here is the tug-of-war, which proved so great a financial success in San Francisco, ending in failure in New York. The national rivalry that served to draw thousands to the Mechanic's Pavilion evidently lost its force in the Eastern metropolis.

A strong expedition has left the French colony to the north of the Congo for Lake Tchad. Much of its route will lie through a section of Africa concerning which less is known than of any other part of the Dark Continent.

It is some comfort in these cold days to read that the mercury is away down below zero in the upper Mississippi valley. What we call a nippling air would be regarded as genial spring weather by the Dakota man.

Don't forget the State Board of Trade meeting to be held at Reno on the second Saturday in January, the 9th inst. It is important that a full attendance should be present.

GREELEY AS A SITTER.

He Told the Photographer That He Might "Fire Away."

Horace Greeley dined the camera more than any man I ever saw, writes Bogardus in the Ladies' Home Journal. He was brought to my studio by Whitelaw Reid, now minister to France, and Sam Sinclair, famous in his day as one of the great workers on the Tribune. The great editor had just been nominated for the presidency of the United States.

He came into my studio with an armful of papers, threw himself carelessly in the chair, adjusted his glasses, turned to the editorial page of the Tribune, began reading one of his own articles, and, without raising his eyes to me, said: "Fire away!" He had a great armful of papers which he threw on the floor at his feet.

When I was ready to take the picture I posed him properly and made a very good impression. I took him in several positions and I noticed that every time there was a moment's delay with the camera he picked up his papers and began reading with avidity.

At the same time I took a group portrait of Greeley, with Whitelaw Reid on one side and Sinclair on the other. I doubt if any of those pictures are in existence.

But the photograph then made at the first sitting of Greeley alone is the one generally accepted as the best likeness. I have in my possession a letter from him acknowledging the receipt of the pictures—at least I suppose that is what it does, for it has taxed the ability of experts in chirography to decipher it. I regard it, however, as a pleasant memento of the great journalist and statesman.

A MILE A MINUTE.

Speed That May Be Made on a New Fangled Bicycle.

A Connecticut man now comes out with a new bicycle which he is confident will prove practical and a great success. In general appearance, says the Philadelphia Press, the machine is similar to those of the same class already familiar in theory. The idea is simplicity itself, being a regular safety machine, half inside a big wheel. The larger outer wheel is nine feet in diameter, and the inner circumference connected by spokes together is eight feet in diameter. The driving wheel is three feet in diameter and rides the big one a little beyond the center or point of contact with the earth, so that it is constantly climbing on the big wheel. The plan is that of a man walking inside of a big hoop, his weight, when thrown forward, revolving the whole. This friction revolves the big wheel at every evolution of the small one, and gives the increased speed and power.

One wheel surface is concave and the other convex, with one surface of rubber. The operator rides a saddle inside the big wheel, over and somewhat near the driving wheel. The great speed can be easily figured. The big wheel has twenty-seven feet circumference, and the driving wheel nine feet, so that by every turn of the small front wheel the machine is propelled twenty-seven feet. By applying the gear action, as in the common safety, the speed is greatly multiplied. A mile could easily be made in two minutes on a good road, and the speed of a mile a minute if the operator wished to ride so fast.

AN UNHAPPY LOT.

Hard Times of Policemen Where Prohibition Is Supposed to Be in Force.

"I'll tell you of a curious device or two for evading the law that would make you feel creepy if you were to put on my badge and go into some grog shops in Lewiston with the purpose of raiding them," said an officer to a Lewiston Journal reporter.

"The other day an Auburn man told me he had gone into a place to get a drink, and the bartender had taken a bottle up from somewhere behind the counter, then put it back and defied him to find it. And he couldn't, either."

"If we go into a place and tear up the floor or tear down the ceiling, whatever damage we do we have got to pay for. If we knock down a door, why of course we don't have to pay for that, but if we do any damage after we are in we must pay the bills. So it is not profitable to do any wreckage unless we are sure of getting some liquors."

"There is one place where the officer, as he enters, is pitched down a trapdoor into the cellar, and while he is coming up again the stuff is poured into the sink and ammonia kills all traces of it."

"Then there is another way. Four doors with concealed spring locks lead the officer, as he enters, into a room in the back of the house, and the door shutting after him locks him in until he breaks out and the liquor has disappeared. I tell you I'm always nervous when I go into such a place. It makes me feel as though perhaps the next step would plunge me into a well or somewhere else."

Formation of Hall.

A direct observation of hall in the process of formation is recorded by Prof. Tosetti who, in the afternoon of a squally day, looking eastward through the window of a house in northern Italy, which, with two others, enclosed the court, saw the rain which streamed down from the roof to the right caught by a very cold wind from the north, and driven back and up in thick drops. Suddenly a south wind blew, and the drops, tossed about in all directions, were transformed into iceballs. When the south wind ceased this transformation also ceased, but whenever the south wind recurred the phenomenon was reproduced, and this was observed three or four times in ten minutes.

Where the Value Was.

Once at a brilliant assemblage in Paris, an inquisitive duchess asked a well-known savant and prominent member of the French Academy of Science: "What are the rings of Saturn composed of, professor?" "I don't know, your grace," was the reply. "What is the value of being so renowned a member of the academy if you cannot tell me so simple a thing about one of our largest planets?" Inquired the duchess. "The value is," he replied, "it enables me to say to such a question: I don't know."

MISCELLANEOUS.

Just 24.

In just 24 hours J. V. S. relieves constipation and sick headaches. After it gets the system under control an occasional dose prevents return. We refer by permission to W. H. Marshall, Brunswick House, S. F.; Geo. A. Werner, 521 California St., S. F.; Mrs. C. Melvin, 134 Kearny St., S. F., and many others who have found relief from constipation and sick headaches. G. W. Vincent, of 4 Terrence Court, S. F. writes: "I am 60 years of age and have had constipation 25 years. I was induced to try Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. I recognized in it an herb the Mexicans used to give us in the early 50's for bowel troubles. (I came to Cal. in 1852) and I knew it would help me and it has. For the first time in years I can sleep well and my system is regular. The old Mexican herbs in this remedy are a certain cure in constipation and bowel troubles." Ask for

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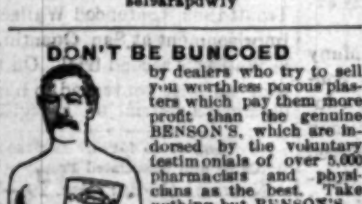
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